

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Service – I&CAD Dept. – Allegations of irregularities in Package No.53 in SRSP-II taken up under EPC System in Warangal Dist. – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri J. S. Sundaram, EE(Retd.) – Inquiry Conducted – Charges held proved – Finalisation of disciplinary proceedings - Imposition of a major penalty of 6% cut in pension permanently - Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION & C.A.D. (Ser.VII.(V&E)A.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 367

Dated: 17-04-2013

Read the following:

Ref: 1. Director General (Vig. & Enft.) & E.O. Prl. Secy. to Govt. G.A.D. Report No. 12(1004/V&E/E1/07), Dt. 25-01-2008.
2. G.O. Rt. Nos.1392, I&CAD(Ser.VII(V&E) A1) Dept. dt. 18-08-2009.
3. From Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE WSD Dt. 04-10-2009.
4. G.O. Rt. No. 154, I&CAD(SerVII.(V&E-1) Dept. dt. 08-02-2010
5. G.O. Rt. No. 390, I&CAD(SerVII.(V&E-1) Dept. dt. 31-03-2012
6. From Dr. Prem Chnad, IAS , COI.P D.O Lr. No. 142/COI-P/2013-3, Dt.08-08-2012.
7. Govt. Memo No. 6319/Ser.VII.(V&E)A.1/2008-17, Dt.18-09-2012.
8. From Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE(Retd.) Expelt.dt.15-10-2012
9. Govt. Memo No.6319/Ser.VII.(V&E)A.1/2008-18, Dt.21-01-2013.
10. From Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE(Retd.) Expelt. dt.6-2-2013.
11. Govt. Lr.No.6319/Ser.VII(V&E)A1/2008-19, dated 16-02-2013
12. From the Secretary, APPSC Lr. No. 446/RT/1/2013, dated 28-02-2013.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, it has been brought to the notice of the Government that certain Engineers of I&CAD Department have committed irregularities in Package No.53 in SRSP-II taken up under EPC System in Warangal Dist. and recommended for initiation of suitable departmental action against the officers responsible for the lapses pointed out.

2. After examining the matter, it has been decided to initiate departmental action against the individuals responsible for such lapses. Accordingly in the reference 2nd read above, disciplinary proceedings have been initiated against Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE along with other officers involved in this case by way of issuing articles of charges.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, Sri J.S Sundaram, EE has submitted his WSD along with others, denying the charges framed against him. After examining the WSDs of the charged officers, it has been decided to place the matter before the Commissionerate of Inquiries to conduct a detailed inquiry into the charges framed against them as their WSDs are not convincing. Accordingly, in the reference 4th read above, Dr. Subhrendu Bhattachary, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration(COI)

Department has been appointed as Inquiring Authority to conduct inquiry into the charges. Subsequently in the reference 5th read above, Dr. Prem Chand, IAS(Rtd.) COI has been appointed as Inquiring Authority.

4. In the reference 6th read above, the Inquiring Authority has submitted his inquiry report stating that both the charges framed against Sri J.S Sundaram, EE(Rtd) are held as proved.

5. In the reference 7th read above, a copy of the inquiry report has been communicated to Sri J.S Sundaram, EE(Rtd) along with other officers with a direction to submit his explanation, if any, on the findings of Inquiring Authority.

6. In the reference 8th read above, Sri J.S Sundaram, EE(Rtd) has submitted his explanation on the findings of Inquiring Authority with a request to drop further action against him.

7. After careful examination of the explanation of Sri J.S Sundaram, EE(Rtd), it has been provisionally decided to impose a major penalty of 6% cut in pension permanently against him. In the reference 9th read above, a show cause notice has been issued to Sri J.S Sundaram, EE(Rtd) with a direction to submit his representation, if any, on the above said provisional decision of the Govt.

8. In the reference 10th read above, Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE(Rtd.) has submitted his representation with a request to drop further action against him. After examination of the representation of Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE(Rtd.), it has been decided to impose a major penalty of 6% cut in pension permanently against him as his representation merit no consideration.

9. In the reference 11th read above, the Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad has been requested to place the above proposal of the Government before the Commission and to communicate the concurrence of the Commission thereon.

10. In the reference 12th read above(copy enclosed), the Secretary, APPSC has communicated the concurrence of the Commission on the proposal of the Government to impose a penalty of 6% cut in pension permanently against Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE(Rtd.).

11. After careful examination of the entire matter, it has been decided to impose a penalty of 6% cut in pension permanently on Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE(Rtd.). Accordingly Government hereby order to impose a penalty of 6% cut in pension permanently against Sri J.S. Sundaram, EE(Rtd.), for his committed irregularities in Package No.53 in SRSP-II taken up under EPC System in Warangal Dist.

12. The I&CAD(Ser.II) Department / the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), I&CAD Department, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**SHAILENDRA KUMAR JOSHI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri J.S. Sundaram, Executive Engineer(Rtd.)

through the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), I & CAD Department, Hyderabad.

The I &CAD(Ser.II) Department

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The Engineer-in-Chief (AW), I & CAD Department, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Accountant General, AP, Hyderabad

The Secretary to VC, APVC

The General Administration(V&E) Department

The Secretary to APPSC, Hyderabad.

The Govt. Pleader for I&CAD,(Ser-II) A.P.A.T., Hyderabad

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SECTION OFFICER